HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1138 By Davidson

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Wilbert D.

Minter to the Tennessee Registry of
Election Finance.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203, provides for the creation of the Tennessee Registry of Election Finance; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203, further provides that the Governor shall appoint three (3) members to the commission; and

WHEREAS, Governor Don Sundquist has appointed Wilbert D. Minter to serve on the Tennessee Registry of Election Finance; he will serve as a citizen member during a term that will expire on December 31, 2006; and

WHEREAS, an Anderson County resident since 1967, Wilbert Minter attended Knoxville College and graduated from UT Knoxville with a degree in Industrial Management; he presently works at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, where he runs the Office of Small and Minority Business Outreach; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Minter is a former Vice Mayor of Oak Ridge, and has served that fair city with probity as a member of the City Council; he has also been active in the Anderson County Democratic Party, both as Secretary and as Precinct Chairman; and

WHEREAS, for 15 years he was a member of Oak Ridge City Schools Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, Wilbert D. Minter has contributed his time and remarkable talents as a member of the Board of Directors of the National League of Cities, of which he is President Emeritus; he is also the first Tennessean to be appointed to the Board of the National Black Caucus of Local Elected Officials; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203(a), provides that each member appointed to the registry by the governor shall be confirmed by joint resolution of the general assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That this body does hereby confirm the appointment of Wilbert D. Minter to the Tennessee Registry of Election Finance for a term to expire on December 31, 2006.

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